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SUBJECT: TEXT OF AMENDMENT RELATING TO US-ROC MUTUAL
DEFENSE TREATY

REF: STATE 189890

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF AMENDMENT REFERRED TO REFTEL
AS ADOPTED BY SENATE JULY 25:

SEC. 27. (A) THE SENATE FINDS THAT

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(1) THE CONTINUED SECURITY AND STABILITY OF EAST
ASIA IS A MATTER OF MAJOR STRATEGIC INTEREST TO
THE UNITED STATES;

(2) THE UNITED STATES AND THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA
HAVE FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY-FOUR YEARS BEEN LINKED
TOGETHER BY THE MUTUAL DEFENSE TREATY OF 1954;

(3) THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA HAS DURING THAT TWENTY-FOUR-YEAR PERIOD FAITHFULLY AND CONTINUALLY CARRIED OUT ITS DUTIES AND OBLIGATIONS UNDER THAT TREATY;

(4) IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SENATE TO GIVE ITS ADVICE AND CONSENT TO TREATIES ENTERED INTO BY THE UNITED STATES.

(B) IT IS THE SENSE OF THE SENATE THAT THERE SHOULD BE PRIOR CONSULTATION BETWEEN THE SENATE AND THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH ON ANY PROPOSED POLICY CHANGES AFFECTING THE CONTINUATION IN FORCE OF THE MUTUAL DEFENSE TREATY CITED ABOVE.

2. DEBATE ON AMENDMENT, AS REPORTED CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, BEING POUCHED TAIPEI AND PEKING.
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